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E. O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: WHO, KS, KN

SUBJECT: 26 TH WHA: NORTH KOREAN APPLICATION FOR
WHO MEMBERSHIP

REF: STATE 066738

ON APRIL 12 WE DISCUSSED NORTH KOREAN APPLICATION FOR
WHO MEMBERSHIP WITH SECRETARY GENERAL LEUAM RAJASOMBAT
OF LAO FOREIGN OFFICE AND REQUESTED RLG SUPPORT FOR
EFFORT TO POSTPONE DISCUSSION OF NORTH KOREAN APPLICATION
UNTIL NEXT YEAR' S SESSION. SINCE PM SOUVANNA DOUBLES
AS FOREIGN MINISTER, LEUAM IS HIGHEST- RANKING FOREIGN
MINISTRY OFFICIAL BELOW PM. SECGEN SAID THAT HE WAS
PERSONALLY FAVORABLY DISPOSED TOWARD USG/ ROK POSITION
BUT INSTRUCTION ON HOW RLG REPRESENTATIVE KHAMPHAN
ABHAY IS TO VOTE AT 26 TH WHA ON ISSUE MUST BE ISSUED
BY CABINET. HE THEREFORE REQUESTED EMBASSY PROVIDE
HIM WITH NOTE VERBALE ON THIS SUBJECT SETTING FORTH
OUR ARGUMENTS (REFTTEL). SINCE RLG OFFICES CLOSED FOR
LAO NEW YEAR UNTIL APRIL 16, WE WILL GIVE SECGEN
REQUESTED NOTE EARLY NEXT WEEK AND WILL ALSO FOLLOW
UP WITH OTHER LAO OFFICIALS AS SOON AS BUSINESS RETURNS
TO NORMAL HERE.

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